



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re application of:</b>	Enrique Musoll Adolfo M. Nemirovsky Mario D. Nemirovsky Narendra Sankar	<b>Examiner:</b>	Shane Gerstl
<b>Docket:</b>	MIPS.0170-00-US	<b>Art Unit:</b>	2183
<b>Customer No.:</b>	23669		
<b>Serial No.:</b>	09/706,154		
<b>Filing Date:</b>	11/03/00		
<b>Title:</b>	FETCH AND DISPATCH DISASSOCIATION APPARATUS FOR MULTI-STREAMING PROCESSORS		

**AMENDMENT B**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office action of March 18, 2004 with a shortened statutory period of response (three months), set to expire June 18, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time (three months) is attached hereto, which if granted, will extend the period of response to September 18, 2004. Since September 18, 2004 falls on a Saturday, the period of response extends to the following Monday, September 20, 2004.